

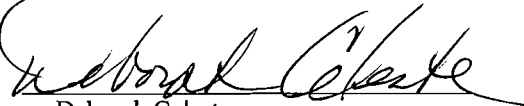
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Sir:

In response to the pending Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 26, 2006, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows and consider the remarks provided herein. No new matter is presented by these amendments.